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BULLS

150 FINE ANIMALS 150

Will be sold here in Ontario in the near future. The Exact Date of the sale can not be announced now, but these bulls have been shipped from the Best Herds in Missouri and Kansas and will be here soon.

Stockmen Watch for the Date of this Sale

Ontario Sales Co.

H. H. TUNNY, Manager

DICKENS & MILLER, Auctioneers

Regular Monthly Sales, Last Saturday of Each Month.

USE ZERO COLD TEST OILS IN WINTER—OTHER OILS ENDANGER MOTOR.

"Unless you use a zero cold test oil in cold weather motoring," said J. H. Stenstrom, Special Agent of the Standard Oil Company yesterday, "you might just as well have no lubricant in your car for the first fifteen to thirty minutes of operation, for congealed oil does not lubricate."

"With the oil in the crankcase too thick or sluggish from the cold to splash properly, what must be the effect on cylinders and bearings during the half-hour or so required for the oil to regain its proper fluidity? Excessive wear, with grave danger of serious damage to the motor, to say nothing of the drain on the batteries in trying to get started."

"To avoid this danger and annoyance, motorists should use Zerolene which is refined from California crude of the naphthalene series. This oil has a natural zero cold test because there is no paraffine present to congeal at low temperatures."

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Representatives of the best herds of Colorado, Missouri and Kansas. A number of the animals are from the famous Monson Bros. herd of Kansas.

**On Sale at Carter Barn
Ontario, Oregon**

These Bulls are senior yearlings and two-year-olds and are in excellent condition, with plenty of quality and size.

**Inspect Them
See for Yourself.
Mr. Stockman,**

if these are not the best Bulls ever offered in this section.

**Haley & Kime,
Ontario, Oregon**

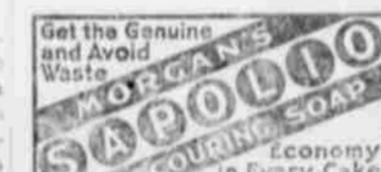
MOTOR RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Malheur, Oregon, to be held at Ontario and Vale on March 26, 1919, to fill the position of motor rural carrier in Ontario that may later occur on minor rural routes from post office in the above-mentioned county. The salary on minor routes ranges from \$1,500 to \$3,000 per annum. The examination will be open only to citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory supplied with mail by a post office in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Forms 2121 and 1977. Form 2121 may be seen posted at any post office in the county for which the examination is held, or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. The appointment to this position will be required to furnish, maintain, and operate a modern motor vehicle with a carrying capacity of not less than 800 pounds and a cubic capacity of not less than 80 feet. Applicants must file with their application a statement of the equipment they will be able to provide in the event of appointment. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington, D. C., at the earliest practicable date.

Admission of women to this examination will be limited to those who are unmarried and to the wives of soldiers and sailors serving in the present war.

GOOD WAGES will be paid for competent, willing girl for general house work. Apply Mrs. J. H. Blackaby.

FOR RENT—200 acre ranch, partly improved; 5 year lease for further improvements. Box 142, Ontario.



FARMERS IN BEST FINANCIAL SHAPE OF RECENT YEARS

Smooth Transition of Agriculture to Peace Basis Predicted by Federal Reserve Board

American farmers are in better financial shape than they have been for years, according to a recent report by the Federal Reserve Board at Washington, which also predicts a smooth transition of agriculture and industry from a war to a peace basis. The board's review of economic conditions throughout the country is based on detailed reports made to it by the governors of the twelve federal reserve banks.

"The farmer is said to be in the best financial shape for many years," the review says. "In the South he is able to hold his cotton for better prices and is marketing his output reasonably."

Excellent crop prospects are reported from the wheat states of the West and from California. On the Pacific Coast the prospects for excellent crops are exceedingly bright."

"Victory" crops, according to another government report, added \$17,000,000,000 to our wealth. The principal contributions were:

Corn—2,552,814,000 bushels, \$3,528,218,000.

Wheat—917,106,000 bushels, \$1,874,623,000.

Oats—1,529,356,000 bushels, \$1,092,122,000.

Barley—256,275,000 bushels, \$228,289,000.

Rye—89,182,000 bushels, \$1,047,400.

Potatoes—397,675,000 bushels, \$175,731,000.

Hay—75,458,000 tons, \$1,522,472,000.

Tobacco—1,340,010,000 pounds, \$274,316,000.

Apples—172,632,000 barrels, \$229,500,000.

As a result of the flourishing condition of the farmer in general the government expects him to take a large block of Victory Liberty Loan Bonds in April.

BORN OF WAR

It is difficult yet to value accurately or in some instances to perceive all the war has brought to our national life or granted from it. The things we think little now may appear to posterity the greatest. The Thrift Stamp idea seems to be one of these. Originated as a war emergency measure, it has taken hold; has appealed to the common sense of America, and may yet shape the destiny of the nation.

It is patent, now that the war is over, that the Thrift Stamp has come to stay. If we wait nothing else out of the war but the habit of saving, which breeds the ordinary simile living, we will have reaped the full fruit of the war. For a thrifty democracy is a firm democracy, a potent democracy, a democracy strong enough to preserve itself.

A man who saves is a better citizen than the man who does not save. He becomes a stockholder in his government and he is jealous for the welfare of that government in war and in peace. In war he will fight for it with his life. In peace he will protect it from those who would tear down.

As America saves from this day on she shall grow in brawn power and in the eyes of mankind. "A bunk account for every American citizen" should be one of our national slogans.

The Thrift and War Savings Stamp idea is freighted with a mighty chance for the better in our national life.

The Thrift Stamp is backed by the United States government. Without doubt it is the greatest investment ever offered and it is in such a form that every American, big and little, can take advantage of it.

THINK STRAIGHT

This is a time for straight thinking. Make sure the other fellow is not talking drivé. Analyze his thought, don't follow it. He may be suffering with phraseologic hemorhage. It is epidemic now-a-days like influenza and much more serious.

For instance in regard to the Victory Liberty Loan and these fellows who thumb their vests, frown wisely, and say "Let the banks do it. They are bursting with money." They are talking drivé. It sounds fine but it isn't good sense. Nor is it good economics, which amounts to the same thing.

If the government thought it was wise to "let the banks do it," the government would let them do it. There would be no Victory Liberty Loan in the popular sense. But the government knows better than to let the banks do it.

This is the period of reconstruction right now. It is a period of many possibilities economically. One possibility is industrial depression. One preventative of industrial depression is plenty of money at favorable rates of interest to stimulate private enterprise. That means our banks must not be clogged with government securities. It means that we can't afford to "let the banks do it." The people must do it—do it from their earnings present and future.

Think straight.
Support the Victory Liberty Loan.

Stockmen Attention!

The Oregon & Western Col. Co. has a large amount of Range Land for sale or lease in Malheur County. Parties wishing to purchase or lease should apply at once and avoid trespassing, for Range Riders will be placed on the unleased lands in the near future. Write or call on

**Oregon & Western
Colonization Co.**

W. J. PINNEY, Agent
ONTARIO, OREGON

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